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In Re Divisional Application of:

APPLICANT(S): Faris et al. )  
 SERIAL NO.: 09/893,163 ) Group Art Unit:  
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 FOR: BACKLIGHT FOR A LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY )  
 HAVING HIGH LIGHT-RECYCLING EFFICIENCY )  
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

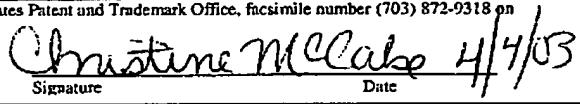
In response to the Restriction requirement of March 10, 2003, applicants elect the species of the second embodiment as identified by the Examiner, a backlight comprising a bundle of fibers, and the manufacturing methods therefor, as claimed in claims 16-36.

Respectfully submitted,

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